മിസ്റ്റർ പി. നാരായണമേനോൻ: ഒരിക്കലല്ലെ പിഴയിട്ടിട്ടുള്ളൂ?

മിസ്റ്റർ ബി. വി. കെ. മേനോൻ: അതിനശേഷം ഇതുവരെ അങ്ങിനെ ഉണ്ടായിട്ടില്ല.

ANCHAL CARDS—AVAILABILITY OF

241. Mr. P. Narayana Menon *(Trippunittura)*: Will Government be pleased to answer.—

(*a*) are the Government aware that in most of the Anchal Offices, Anchal cards are not available;

(*b*) what action has been taken by the Government in the matter?

Mr. B. V. K. Menn *(Joint Secretary to Government)*:

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) All available stocks have been distributed to the Anchal Offices and steps are taken to replenish stocks.

Mr. A. B. Salem *(Mattancheri)*: In view of the election, may I know whether the Government will be prepared to make Anchal cards available in large quantities

Mr. B. V. K. Menon *(Joint Secretary to Government)*: As far as possible.

TODDY SHOP—PANANGAD—LOCATION OF

242. Mr. P. Narayana Menn *(Trippunittura)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) where the toddy shop No. 37 in Panangad in Kumbalam Village is located;

(*b*) how far is it from local temple;

(*c*) did the Government get any petition from the Public for the shifting of the shop;

(*d*) what action did the Government take on that petition?

Mr. C. J. Mathew *(Joint Secretary to Government)*:

(*a*) The shop is located in Panangad Desom.

(*b*) As there are more than one temple in the locality, the question is not clear.

(*c*) No petition has been received from the General Public for shifting the shop.

(*d*) Does not arise in view of answer to (*c*).

മിസ്റ്റർ പി. നാരായണമേനോൻ: ഈ ഷാപ്പ് ഇപ്പോൾ അവിടെനിന്നുമാറ്റിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

Mr. C. J. Mathew *(Joint Secretary to Government)*: Yes.

HILL PALACE ROAD—TODDY SHOPS

243. Mr. P. Narayana Menon *(Trippunittura)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the number of toddy shops now existing by the side of the Hill Palace Road;

(*b*) the distance of each of them from the road;

(*c*) the distance of the old site of shop No. 43 from the Hill Palace Road?

Mr. C. J. Mathew *(Joint Secretary to Government)*:

(*a*) One shop.

(*b*) 168 yards.

(*c*) 24 yards.

EXCISE STAFF—STRENGTHENING OF

244. Mr. P. Narayana Menon *(Trippunittura)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) have the Government any idea of strengthening the Excise Staff in connection with the new levy of Excise duty on tea, coffee and arecanut;

(*b*) if so, will not preference be given to persons already in service in making the new appointments?

Mr. C. J. Mathew *(Joint Secretary to Government)*:

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

ARTICLE IN THE "JENMABHUMI" DATED 24TH SEPTEMBER 1944

245. Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam)*: (*a*) Whether Government have noted the following article in "ജന്മഭൂമി" dated 24th September 1944 on page 5 and on page 7; "അടക്കാ വ്യാപാരവിഷമങ്ങൾ"

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